

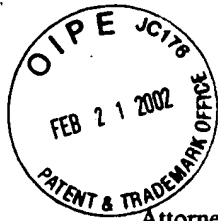
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Examiner: R. Bennett

For: Novel Method of Treatment

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith is a Response in the above-identified application.

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